

Gunnison River Segments 3 (upstream) and 1 (downstream) – ORV Worksheet

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Gunnison River Segments 3, 1 <u>Recreational</u>	Outstanding float opportunities for families & novice/ casual boaters; public access, scenic canyon walls, verdant orchards, historic features add value.				
Gunnison River Segments 3,1 <u>Fish</u>	Segments 3, 1: Critical habitat for endangered Colorado pikeminnow and razorback sucker.				
	Segment 3: exemplary populations of sensitive flannelmouth suckers, bluehead suckers and roundtail chubs.				
Gunnison River Segment 3 <u>Cultural</u>	Inhabited over 10,000 years; over 300 Native American sites; high quality rock art that qualify for nomination to NRHP based on quality + potential to yield historical info.				

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Gunnison River Segment 3 <u>Vegetation</u>	Freemont Cottonwood/skunkbush sumac riparian woodland classified as globally imperiled (G2).				
Gunnison River Segment 1 <u>Historical</u>	RR was 1st line connecting Denver to Grand Junction (1882); connection to Salt Lake City formed transcontinental RR link. Eligible for inclusion in NRHP based on importance to developing West.				